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Citizens Defense League Issue Call for Mass Meeting

All Loyal Residents of Town and Valley are Expected to be Present Tuesday Night



The Citizens Defense League of Sonoma Valley hereby issues a call for a mass meeting of all loyal residents of Sonoma Valley to assemble Tuesday evening in Union Hall for the purpose of pledging their undivided allegiance to and support of the United States of America and President Wilson in the present crisis. The President's proclamation defining the duty of citizens and aliens will be read and explained as will also the President's message. There will be short addresses, patriotic music and a report on the inauguration of Red Cross work here.

It is the duty of everyone to be present and make this a memorable occasion in the history of Sonoma.

Carlos Emparan has been here this week trying out his Chalmers racing car.

A beautiful new American flag floats over Joe Ryan's Livery stable. It was presented to him by the "Hookem Cow Club."

Miss Gertrude Breitenbach, popular bookkeeper for Leveroni & Maffei and a girl of stately beauty has been nominated for queen. Miss Dorothy McFarlane is also being urged to allow her name to be put in as a nominee for beautiful queen of the festival in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Spindler have been presented with a 9 pound baby boy.

(Red) Ragin once the terror of motorists when as speed cop he patrolled this valley, has vanished from these parts and his creditors are said to be hot on his trail. A new man has been appointed in his place.

Under threat that a local option campaign would be forced on the people of Santa Rosa at once if the saloons decided to re-open on Sundays, the decision was reached to continue to keep them closed, the saloon men voting 10-9 in favor of so doing. Rev. Price leader of the anti-saloon forces however would not promise to cease agitating against complete prohibition.

The body of an unidentified man apparently dead but a few hours, was found at Sears Point Tuesday, lying beside a pushcart in which he was carrying his belongings. He had applied for food at a nearby ranch earlier in the day and had evidently succumbed to heart failure after proceeding on his journey.

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RURAL DANCERS AT HOTEL CHAUVET

Big Crowd Attends Second Dance at Popular Hostelry.

Those who enjoyed the fine time at the Hotel Chauvet last Saturday night are loud in their praise of mine host Nichols' fine Barn dance. There was a very large crowd present and all had a royal time from the minute that they drove up to the brilliantly illuminated entrance way until the last lingering strains of the mimitable ragtime orchestra which played by request until after day break.

Mr. Nichols has the faculty of letting you know there is "something doing" on the gala nights he arranges for the enjoyment of dance lovers and Saturday last was no exception. A fine big American flag swung proudly to the breeze from an upper story window waving welcome to the guests as they came up the roadway and in the spacious dance hall there were patriotic streamers and a rural scene on the stage that would have done credit to the famous Bonini Manger. Here also were displayed the fine prizes which had been much advertised and far exceeded the expectations of the contenders for them. There were two expensive toilet sets, one of silver and one of ebony, a \$5 gold piece, a clock, a percolator and two bottles of champagne.

Some of the rural make-ups were particularly good. Among them the dashing Bernice Monahan, who who transformed her piquant beauty into the most ludicrous impersonation of a backwoods charmer. She carried a basket of dairy butter on her arm and looked like the belle of Milpitas. First prize went to her and the best sustained character prize to Miss Norine Dower who as "Sis Hopkins" made a decided hit. Louis Sabbe, with the little bunch of whiskers on his chin and the becoming name "Al Falta" scored first gentleman prize. Sam Tomalsin carried off second honors as "Hiram Green Goodnight."

A bounteous repast was served at prettily decorated tables at midnight and the crowd was well taken care of.

The five piece orchestra won much plaudits for the up-to-date music and in every particular mine host Nichols made a big success of his second dance at the Hotel Chauvet.

ACCIDENTS THIS WEEK

John Gottenberg, our respected pioneer resident, suffered a painful accident in a runaway Monday last when he was thrown out of the rig he was driving in the Hyde tract and was rendered unconscious. A scalp wound and nervous shock necessitated the presence of Dr. A. M. Thomson.

On Wednesday J. Schaeffer of Fellers fell from a tank which he was constructing and was painfully bruised about the back. Dr. Hays was summoned to attend him.

CONVENT CLOSING EXERCISES

The sisters of the Presentation Convent are preparing their pupils for the closing exercises on the second of June when Union Hall will be the scene of a unique and pretty entertainment. An operetta and scenes from Hiawatha will be given. The latter, poem of Longfellow, has been part of the English and literary course at the school and it will be given with intelligent interpretation and be prettily costumed.

Miss Henrietta Gaines and Mr. Depender were guests at the Geo. Breitenbach home Sunday.

Miss Dorothy McFarlane went to Napa Saturday and was the guest of friends over Sunday.

Mrs. James Tate has returned home after a pleasant visit with relatives in San Francisco.

Mrs. Lizzie Lutgens spent a day or two in Sebastopol the last of the week.

Mrs. J. Haley was up from San Rafael for the dance at Glen Ellen Saturday night.

Fred L. Wright and Oliver Evans of the California Telephone & Light Company, were here from Santa Rosa Wednesday.

Mrs. Walter Seymour was in town last week in the country club Overland recently purchased by her son, Will Ashe. The new model was much admired.

Mrs. Arthur Landsborough who is here from Modesto was entertained by Mrs. Dora Stofen Monday afternoon.

Vera Hal, the glassy race horse will be seen on the local track here during the Sonoma Cut-off celebration.

CALLED TO THE COLORS

W. D. Foley, Chief Machinist's Mate, U. S. Naval Reserve, received telegraphic orders on the 9th inst. to report for active duty. Mr. Foley has been assigned to duty on the cruiser "Frederick" which will probably be dispatched to European waters.

He had been in the service of Uncle Sam many years prior to his having been retired on a pension and being still a very active and capable man, accepted a fine position recently at the Navy Yard in Mare Island. About six weeks ago he came home on account of a spell of sickness and has been enjoying a very beneficial vacation up to the time of his call to colors.

Stanley Erasmus, quartermaster sergeant is another Sonoma Valley ex-army man who is holding himself in readiness for assignment to active duty. Mr. Erasmus received his papers some time ago which he filled out and sent to headquarters. He may be put in charge of a recruiting station or similar work. Mr. Erasmus is not in the best of health but is a thorough soldier, having enlisted over 30 years ago when soldiering was full of hardship. At that time soldiers were given an allotment of straw and had to make their own beds. Mr. Erasmus has seen the service improve constantly until now enlistment means the best of care by Uncle Sam. The genial owner of Crescent Acres was for years in charge of the Commissary at an army post in Alaska and bought the pretty Valley of the Moon acreage after his retirement on pension.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Holy Communion the first Sunday in the month at the eleven o'clock service. The third Sunday of the month at 8 a. m. and otherwise announced.

Sunday School and Bible class, 9:45 a. m., evening prayer and sermon, 8 p. m.

Tuesdays—The Ladies' Guild meets every second week at 2:30 p. m.

Wednesdays—Study class, 2:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal, 3:30 p. m. Friday—The Junior Auxiliary meets every second week at 3:30 p. m.

The Vestry meet every first Monday of the month at 8 p. m. Special meetings as announced.

REV. W. A. RIMER
Priest in charge.

SONOMA IN THE MOVING PICTURES

Historic Ground and Landmarks to Be Shown All Over U. S.

I. G. Ries of the Selig Polyscope Company, of Chicago one of the largest of the moving picture producing concerns and a subsidiary of the Selig Company, was in town Monday taking pictures of some of our noted landmarks. Sonoma is to be in the movies all over the United States because of historic background and importance in the romance of California. Mr. Ries drove here from Monterey which is also to come into prominence in the film world on account of its historic past.

The Mission San Francisco de Solano, the Bear Flag site, the old barracks, the Blue Wing and the Vallejo home were taken by the operator. He tried to persuade Mrs. Lulu Emparan, daughter of the late General M. G. Vallejo, to be in the picture of the beautiful La Gracia Montis but the unassuming and charming matron refused to pose for the movies despite the celebrities who are seen in them.

The Selig company knowing the interest that tourists and former globe trotters now have in the "see America first" idea are to feature these views of the historic localities of the United States. Their value as publicity cannot be overrated and Sonoma is fortunate in having the poetic past to commend it.

Mr. Ries deplored the fact that Sonoma had not sought to keep more of the old adobe intact and declared that with the proper kind of advertising they would have been big assets to the community in attracting tourists here.

The descriptions and captions to accompany the films will be taken from the special edition of the Index Tribune published by the present editor in 1902.

Bert Gale was up from the city Saturday night.

Miss Arvilla Revie was over from Petaluma Sunday on a visit to her folks.

Contractor R. E. Murphy is to put in a new foundation and otherwise improve the G. H. Hotz home on Broadway.

RED CROSS SOCIETY FOR SONOMA VALLEY

Next Monday at 8 p. m. a meeting will be held at the Womans Clubhouse to effect the organization of a Red Cross Society for Sonoma Valley

All men and women are asked to come and aid in starting this splendid work units for which are rapidly forming in every village and city throughout this land. COME.

WILL CELEBRATE THIRTY FIRST ANNIVERSARY

The Verdant degree Rebekah Lodge will celebrate its thirty first anniversary at the Womans Clubhouse, on the evening of Friday, May 4th. Seventeen members of Petaluma's lodge will come over and produce a suffrage play which is said to be one of the clever performances possible to conceive. It will be a gala time.

Giovanni Giorgi aged 47 years died of tuberculosis this week at Santa Rosa. Deceased had been a former employee of the Milani ranch.

NATIVE SONS DELEGATES

Will Helberg, Newt Dal Pogetto and Julius Pancrazi have been up at Redding, Shasta County attending the Native Sons grand parlor which convened there. They have been royally entertained. A post card of Mt. Shasta received by the Index from Mr. Helberg says "there is lots more fun than a minstrel show. Newt and I are having a most wonderful time."

BENEFIT DANCE FOR CELEBRATION

Big Time Tonight at Agua Caliente Springs.

The second benefit dance for the Sonoma Cut-off celebration fund takes place tonight at Agua Caliente Springs new hotel. All loyal boosters should be present. Every dollar will help make the celebration a bigger success. Fine music has been provided and a good time is assured. Admission 50c ladies free.

MEN WANTED FOR U. S. A. RESERVE CORPS

Men skilled in civil engineering and similar occupations wanted in the Engineer Enlisted Reserve Corps of the United States Army for war service. Skilled laborers, mechanics and artisans, miners, surveyors, electricians, and others engaged in engineering or mechanical lines in civil life wanted for enlistment in the Engineer Reserve Corps of U. S. Army. The War Department desires to secure immediately a large enrollment of enlisted men in this Corps, and suitable men are urged to make application either by mail or in person to one of the following offices.

District Engineer Office, 204 Pine St., San Francisco.

District Engineer Office, Third District, 405 Custom House, San Francisco.

District Engineer Office, 723 Central Building, Los Angeles, Cal.

District Engineer Office, 602 Burke Building, Seattle, Wash.

District Engineer Office, First District, 806 Couch Building, Portland, Oregon.

District Engineer Office, Second District, 321 Custom House, Portland, Oregon.

Officer in Charge, U. S. Engineer Office, Yellowstone Park, Wyo.

Assistant Engineer, U. S. Engineer Office, Eureka, Cal.

DEATH CALLS A BELOVED MOTHER

Mrs. J. Riegelhuth, a former resident of Sonoma Valley died at her home in San Francisco last week and was laid to rest here Monday. Deceased left a husband and several children to mourn the passing of a good wife and mother.

The Riegelhuths formerly resided on the old Horbort ranch, Bella Vista and the children went to school here. Many old time friends and neighbors met the funeral party upon its arrival here Monday and were present at the last sad rites.

To Choose Queen for June Festival Send Names at Once---Over \$1400 Real- ized for Celebration

The topic of the hour now that all the committees have gotten down to work on the big celebration of the Sonoma Cut-off opening, is the selection of a queen. You are invited to send in the name of your favorite young lady to Mrs. Adam Adler, of the Parade Committee. All nominations made this week will be given 100 complimentary votes and you are given the assurance that the royal robes and regalia for her beautiful majesty will be furnished by the committee who will also provide the float on which the queen and her ladies-in-waiting will ride.

The parade will be platoon by a squad of police and there will be bands of music, the carnival company attractions, wild west show outfit, queen's float, gayly decorated autos etc., The Santa Rosa Band has been engaged to play for the three day's festivities. They will be in the parade, will play for street dancing and also give a concert.

At the executive meeting Monday night, Mesdames Stofen and Emparan and Mr. A. P. Ringressy were present and added many valuable suggestions. The ladies with M. H. Rowell will outline the literary program which will include the official speech of Mayor James Rolph of San Francisco. Mrs. Lillian Bianchi, San Francisco's famous singer, has been asked to sing.

The reception committee on which A. P. Ringressy succeeds Dr. Parramore (whose health made his acceptance impossible) will prepare a royal welcome for San Francisco's mayor and will banquet him on the day of his visit to our valley. Mr. Ringressy has also invited a number of Olympic Club members to participate in a water carnival at the Springs. All citizens who will be willing to place their cars at the disposal of the reception committee and accompany the official visitors, such as the mayor or other invited

guests up from Sausalito or take them around the valley are requested to send in their names to Mr. Ringressy at once. The autos will be accepted and officially designated by number.

The report from the publicity committee is very encouraging. Some very showy full sheet posters are to be furnished by the Carnival Company and will supplement the regular placards and advertising to be gotten out descriptive and illustrative of the new cut-off route. Mr. R. W. Harker of the Sacramento Bee was in town Monday and the matter of advertising in the Bee's automobile edition is receiving favorable consideration.

Mr. Frank Kelly of the Pacific Breeder & Sportsman is also to assist with publicity for the big race meet and rodeo.

The Southern Pacific railroad is most anxious to cooperate in making Sonoma Valley's celebration a mammoth success. Mr. Chas. S. Fee has written the Publicity Committee as follows:

San Francisco, April, 12th, 1917
Mrs. C. G. Murphy,
Chairman Sonoma Cut-off Celebration;
Sonoma, Sonoma Co. Cal.

Dear Madam:
Acknowledging your favor of April 9th in regard to publicity for Sonoma County in our folder:

We have arranged to give a display line in our local folder for the Sonoma celebration, and will include in our May "Coming Events" Circular Letter.

Yours truly,
CHAS. S. FEE

R. B. Houston, commercial agent of the S. P. company was in town Thursday and has interested himself in getting special rates between Sacramento and this valley and also from 16th st. Oakland, tickets to be good from the 14th to the 18th inclusive.

AGRICULTURAL CLUB

The boys and girls elementary school agricultural club work through out the entire community is progressing nicely. The nine elementary schools of this district which have organized agricultural clubs are: Dunbar, Glen Ellen, Flowery, Sonoma, Buena Vista, Huichica, San Luis and Tule Vista (combined) and Waimaugh. In these schools potato, corn and bean contests are being carried on as well as one calf contest.

To hear these boys about corn, beans or potatoes, one might think that they had been raising these crops for years. Ask Eliot Brown president Glen Ellen Agricultural Club about the proper methods of cutting and treating seed potatoes or Antone Kiser, president San Luis Agricultural Club regarding corn culture, they will immediately proceed to inform you as to "what's what" in their respective lines. And don't forget that next fall after they have harvested their first crop they will have a great deal more information on tap for they are wide awake thinking and dreaming corn and potatoes every day. The same is true of every youngster in the work.

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Correlation of Patriotic Sentiment

The moral force of the unification of public sentiment of American patriotism is to be the means of giving Uncle Sam just the impetus he needs to successfully carry out the splendid plans of President Wilson for world wide democracy.

Every community is astir and the glow of real Americanism is diffusing itself o'er the face of the entire nation. At critical times like these, when a nation is called from field and forge to champion the cause of an outraged humanity and to be the defender of its own people, the war spirit is not sufficiently awakened. By war spirit we do not mean the blood thirsty instinct of savagery but the noble sentiment of humanity, of national honor, pride and realization of the gifts we enjoy under the flag we love—the American flag—which is the protecting mantle of all mankind, the shield for which we are willing to fight because it is the defender of the oppressed, the avowed foe of the iron heel of militarism.

If we are ever to know the newer patriotism of the brotherhood of all men it will be the soil of Uncle Sam which will bring into bloom this beautiful flower of idealism—the soil enriched by the people of all the earth. With the warmth of love for America taking on the glow that it is at the present time, the fruits of freedom are destined to yield a wondrous harvest. Just as in the process of evolution, the useless atrophy and disappear, so will national bias come to be a thing of the past and mankind will be greater than nations. America today is synonymous with the most perfect democracy yet realized and we are forging the greatest and strongest links between men of the earth that have ever been known. Brighter burns the beacon of the Statue of Liberty and if in the rays of its light light we are destined to see destroyers and ships of battle, it will not be for conquest or aggrandizement but for the protection of mankind and the freedom of the seas.

It is the realization of this, that is bringing people of communities big and little all through this great land closer together to voice their regard and pledge their support to our president and to the nation which is destined to bring about an new era in history along finer lines than the most sanguine of our forefathers ever dreamed.

Your Duty Set Forth By Our Practical President

Our practical provident president, well may we rally to his side for the good of all his people and all people as uppermost in his mind as is evidenced by his call for constructive aid in the masterful appeal to the workers of this nation. He places upon every unit in the nation responsibility, whether in the thrift and economy of the housewife or in the efficiency of railroads magnates. Each and everyone of us is charged to perform our duty in the national crisis. No one is held in littleness or lightly regarded. No matter what your status has been here-to-fore you and your work have the greatest value to your country, provided you are endowed with the proper spirit and will try and measure up to the president's expectations. Whether you are cutting out the eye of the potato to plant in the field or estimating the material for battleships, whether you are sewing garments for those who must be clothed or girding on the sword for battle, you are doing service.

The call to conscience and honor made to those known as middlemen is clear and not to be misunderstood. The frailty of temptation when opportunity for selfish ends looms up before us is well understood by the head of our nation. The man who handles commodities on their way from producer to consumer, has come into much disrepute in the past because of the frequent and unkindly advantage he has taken of his fellows. He can be of service and wipe out the stains of the past by regenerating himself in war time and becoming more humanized extending the help hand of co-operation instead of the itching palm of the gouger for profit. If such do not voluntarily better their calling it will be enforced upon them by the watchful eye of Woodrow Wilson and the public opinion which is back of him.

The appeal of the president to the workers of the land is a theme which cannot be given too much publicity. Let us go the length and breadth of the land; this practical message of wisdom which recites that armies and statesmen are helpless without the dutiful response of every man, woman and child of the nation, every toiler of the field, every worker at the forge or loom, every individual in the teeming toils of trade.

Thank the public schools for much of the fine sentiment being correlated today. There is one place where preparedness is always in evidence and where the foundation of Americanism is easily distilled and never forgotten. Though it may slumber in peace it needs but a call to arouse it to proportions of magnificence.

The unemployed in America today should be an unknown factor. It will only be the slackers and the "I won't work" who will be in idleness, for there is no need for it in these days of food preparedness and war preparation.

Just think what a good population builder the Ashley bill might be. With only one saloon for every 500 who would not have been interested in getting the census up to 5000. Little towns would have been a thing of the past.

The batting average of the "dry" at Sacramento was not very good. Perhaps it would have been better if they had been more accustomed to high balls.

If Madison had not been clever at tricks they might have tried to change another wet into a dry but Bob is there when it comes to legerdemain.

With the Rominger bill already in the rummage pile and the Ashley bill in the ash can, the whole question must now come back to the people where it always belonged.

You may lead 'em to legislation but you can't make 500 people drink at one saloon.

A saloon measure will now be a pint of whiskey or a glass of beer.

They say they've got the saloon going, but when?

THE CONVERT

He is no Ad Santel
But he worsted
Old John Barleycorn
You know he did
They tell how Bacchus
Used to claim him
The satyr loved him well
But that was Santa Rosa
Where the nymphs of vintage dwell
At Sacramento sacre!
He cast the imps and god of wine
Into a limbo dark
He forgot the definition of
"A chicken" and "a lark."
His song was changed
No longer knew
Comin' Through the Rye,
It sounded vulgar
Just like booze
In the presence of the drys
So he changed his tune
To "My Wandering Boy Tonight"
And prayed for strength
And vision clear
With all his mighty might.
And when they tried to put
The Rominger measure o'er us
The doughty Herb
Sang with the drys
That Hallelujah chorus!

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SONOMA A PART OF HOUR GLASS

L. E. Armstrong and N. S. Richard son of Calistoga were here Monday evening in the interest of the "Hour Glass Tour", an advertising plan. The gentlemen addressed the Sonoma Cut-off celebration committee and sought to interest our people in the scheme to familiarize the traveling public with this beautiful trip so happily described by the caption, "hour glass tour."

The matter will be brought to the attention of the Sonoma Development Board and the improvement clubs of the Springs and it is hoped to aid the campaign for funds to widely advertise this and other sections.

The following is a contemporary's comment on the novel idea:

"The Hour Glass Tour" is the latest along automobile row. In fact several automobile rows have heard of the tour by now, for a loyal and enthusiastic bunch of boosters are behind the publicity end of the tour and it bids fair to be one of the most popular auto routes in the central California section before many more weeks have passed.

The whole conception is a very clever one, and there is no doubt but that it will meet with instant popularity for the novelty of the idea and the advertising that it gives to the various towns and cities along the route.

The boosters when here Monday showed a drawing of the advertisement. It is in the form of an hour glass, the route proposed taking the symmetrical outlines with startling faithfulness.

The cities and resorts on the route Oakland, Walnut Creek, Martinez, Benicia, Vallejo, Napa, Jackson's Soda Springs, Yountville, Rutherford St. Helena, Calistoga, Petrified Forest, Burke, Mark West Springs, Santa Rosa, Kenwood, Glen Ellen, Agua Caliente, Feters Springs, Boyes Springs, Sonoma, Petaluma, Ignacio, San Rafael, San Anselmo, Sausalito, San Francisco.

In each of these places the proposition for a publicity organization and campaign is being put up to the various Chambers of Commerce and resort owners and it is proposed to advertise the route extensively.

The advertisement of the route are as follows: Richmond, Berkeley, shows the road in the shape of the hour glass, with the names of the various points of interest in large letters. Near each name are drawings suggestive of attractions of that locality.

SONOMA TEAM AGAIN WINS

The Sonoma baseball team showed their class again Sunday when they nosed out the fast Petaluma team with a score of 4-2. The contest was full of "pep" from start to finish, only taking one hour and a half to play the game. An unusual feature of the game was the number of double plays made, Petaluma making 3 and the locals 1.

Bunk Dresel and Stuermer were the heavy hitters of the day, the former getting 2 out of 3 and the latter 3 out of 4. The fielding star for Sonoma was Andrieux, who accepted several hard chances and got his man without an error. He also made a clean hit in the first inning, scoring the first run. Whitlow pitched his usual star game holding the visiting team down to 4 hits and striking out 14. First baseman played a nice game, stopping wild throws, but failed to connect for a hit during the session.

The box score follows:
Sonoma R H E
Petaluma 2 4 2

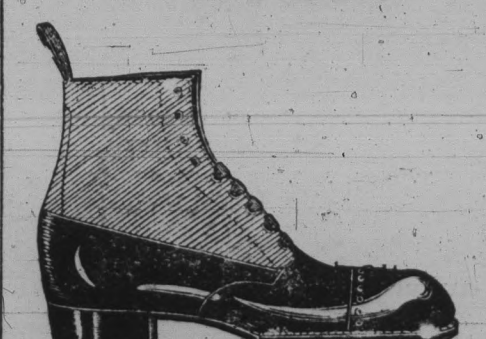
Jack Picetti made a business trip to the county seat the fore part of the week.

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CHRISTENED THEIR SON

Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Thomson christened their little son at St. Francis Church last Sunday. Rev. Father Moran officiated and Mrs. A. Landsborough acted as godmother. The baby was named after its two grandfathers, Melville Ricardo Thomson.

After the ceremonies a dinner in honor of the occasion was enjoyed at the Toscano hotel.

The Aid Society of the M. E. Church will be entertained by Mrs. J. Hawkins at her home near El Verano on Thursday, April 26, at which time she desires to see all members and friends. This is an ideal place and the view alone will repay you for going.

Dr. Sarah E. Wise who is touring the state in the interest of moral education and race betterment, was formerly a teacher in the Sonoma grammar school. She afterwards studied medicine and is a practicing physician. She never married.

Mrs. Clara Walker and son Ward of Carlton, Oregon, are here on a visit to their cousin, Mrs. Maud Hamilton.

Pete Boccoli, the clever baseball star who had an offer of \$85 to play on one of the professional teams, has decided to lay off awhile. Pete is looking for more money and he's got it coming.

Jerome Jansen was in town Sunday greeting old friends.

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SPRING'S CALL TO SOCIAL EVENTS

Gala Events Marshal Themselves on
Calendar of Coming Month.

With Sonoma Valley carpeted in the blues and golds of Spring, events of more than passing interest are looming upon the social calendar and the happy occasions are reviving interest in the latest hats and gowns despite the economies of war time and keeping husbands and fathers busy "digging up" more than gardens.

Yesterday afternoon there was a smart affair at the Clubhouse in honor of the Sonoma Valley Woman's Club president, Mrs. Dora Stofen. The artistic rooms were resplendent with lilac blossoms and Mrs. Agnes Ryland was gracious hostess of the occasion. An entertaining program to which Mrs. Ida Hotz, Misses Bates, Poppe and Dawson were contributors was a feature of the afternoon after which there were much delightful repartee, centering of course about Mrs. Stofen the popular president who acknowledged the compliment of the afternoon with her usual charm. Dainty refreshments were partaken of and the ladies lingered long over their tea cups, bidding each other adieu most reluctantly.

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FOOD INQUIRY

HERE APRIL 18th.

To aid in the nation's campaign for mobilization of food resources, the Committee on Resources and Food Supply of the California State Council for Defense, of which the chairman is President Benj. Ide Wheeler of the University of California, and the other members, Charles H. Bentley, B. B. Meek, Miss Ethel Moore, and John A. O'Connell, will complete within the next two weeks a survey to determine the present condition of crops in California, the possibility of their being materially increased during the current season, livestock conditions, and possible ways in which these conditions may be improved.

This survey of the agricultural conditions of California will be conducted by experts in the College of Agriculture of the University of California, cooperating with the State Commissioner of Horticulture, the County Horticultural Commissioners, the State Veterinarian, the State Board of Health, the State Commission Market, the United States Forest Service and from other official bodies in the State of California. It is proposed to finish this survey in two weeks from Monday, April 16th, and to this end numerous bodies of men will be actively engaged therein. Hearings will be held in each county and the general plan to be followed will be to hold first an executive session of the board of enquirers in the forenoon. To this session a limited number of people well posted on conditions in their region, will be invited and their advice and counsel sought. In the afternoon, open meetings will be held and the whole situation, so far as state food and resources are concerned, will be discussed, and advice given as to proper action in the region. This advice will be based on the facts that may be developed in the various discussions.

This is an emergency matter and the cordial cooperation of every individual and every organization in each community is necessary that the work may be effective, the facts gathered reliable, and the widest publicity given the advice of the experts.

Professor C. W. Rubel and Professor T. Francis Hunt, cooperating with the State Commissioner of Horticulture, Mr. H. H. Hecke, will conduct meetings as follows:

Napa, Napa County, Apr. 16; San Rafael, Marin County, Apr. 17; Santa Rosa, Sonoma County, Apr. 18; Lakeport, Lake County, Apr. 19; Ukiah, Mendocino County, Apr. 20; Crescent City, Del Norte County, Apr. 23; Eureka Humboldt County, Apr. 25.

TO MEET IN STOCKTON

San Francisco, April 16, 1917
To the Editor:
Board will hold its annual convention at Stockton, April 27th and 28th. Representatives of Chambers of Commerce, Boards of Supervisors and prominent men throughout the State will be present.

In view of the present economic and agricultural conditions of the nation, the Program Committee consisting of Messrs. Frederick J. Koster, R. B. Hale and Robert Newton Lynch is preparing a program that will conform to the situation which is vitally important as affecting California and the nation at this moment.

For several years the Development Board has been gathering scientific agricultural information of the State and the subject of the coming convention will be devoted entirely to a discussion of ways and means of developing the intensive agricultural resources of California and conserving the product.

At the beginning of our national war, coordination of activities and the segregation of material and data that have been gathered for years by the Development Board, and especially in view of the serious question of food supply, are obviously of potential significance and the directors of this State-wide organization are alive to the imperative need for concentration of expert knowledge and systematic action.

Speakers of state-wide knowledge and national reputation have accepted the invitation to address the convention and delegates will be invited to fully discuss the important subject. The full program will be sent to the press in the course of a few days.

Very truly yours,
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Misses Smiths will open their millinery parlor in the Keifer building on Napa street, March 26th, for one month only with a full line of up-to-date millinery.

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DEATH OF

J. H. SHEPARD

J. H. Shepard, father of Irving Shepard and former husband of Eliza T. Shepard of the London ranch died very suddenly of heart failure in Oakland last week. Irving was hastily summoned from Nogales as was also the grandson of deceased. Mrs. Shepard called upon to make the funeral arrangements went down from the London ranch Friday and was present at the obsequies.

CAUSES OF HIGHER PRICES 1917

(1) Primarily, of course, the war has caused an enormous demand for export, which has depleted the markets for domestic consumption. The 1916 crop of almost every variety was short, and all markets will be cleaned up before new pack arrives.

(2) Cans have advanced 75 per cent in price equal to 7 1/2¢ a dozen for No. 1; 12¢ a dozen for No. 2, and 17 1/2¢ a dozen for the No. 3 size. Cases are up 1 1/2¢ a dozen. Labels are up 1¢ a dozen. Brokerage and cash discount at higher prices, are equivalent of an extra cent a dozen.

(3) Material which is packed will be much higher. On tomatoes it is estimated at 4¢ a dozen for No. 2; 6¢ a dozen for No. 3. As a farmer can more easily handle staple crops like oats, wheat, field corn, etc., these will be given first choice, because the return is higher and more certain; fruits and vegetables will be given second choice. The acreage will therefore be smaller.

(4) Farm labor, on account of competition, has advanced in many regions as much as 50 per cent; everywhere almost to that extent. This will be reflected in the price of goods.

(5) Canner's labor is temporary labor and must be paid higher for the short season, in order to induce it to leave permanent occupation.

(6) Material used in canneries, like machinery, belting, fuel, etc., are doubled in price.

(7) All indications are that these materials, like nails, cases, cans, labels, etc., will be higher later on. The can companies will give no options, so the packers can buy only what they are able to take and pay for.

(8) Small canners will require more capital to handle the products at higher prices. This means more interest, the necessity of buying material now to protect against later advances, means larger stocks and more insurance.

The following comparisons of exports of food stuffs for the last three years will indicate somewhat the reason why prices are different to-day than two years ago:

Corn, 1914, 7,008,028; 1915, 39,339,064; 1916, 30,780,887. Oats, 1914, 757,527; 1915, 57,469,964; 1916, 47,993,096. Wheat, 1914, 87,953,436; 1915, 333,552,226; 1916, 215,532,681. Wheat flour, 1914, 54,454,175; 1915, 94,869,343; 1916, 87,347,805. Cattle, 1914, 645,288; 1915, 702,847; 1916, 4,383,765. Hogs, 1914, 133,751; 1915, 93,067; 1916, 328,718. Canned Beef, 1914, 461,901; 1915, 11,973,530; 1916, 19,353,450. Fresh Beef, 1914, 788,792; 1915, 31,731,633; 1916, 28,886,115. Bacon, 1914, 25,879,056; 1915, 47,326,129; 1916, 78,615,616. Pork, 1914, 552,003; 1915, 1,219,729; 1916, 9,338,994. Cheese, 1914, 414,124; 1915, 8,463,174; 1916, 7,430,089. Condensed milk, 1914, 341,140; 1915, 4,066,642; 1916, 12,404,384. Sugar, 1914, 1,839,981; 1915, 25,615,016; 1916, 79,390,147. Beans & Peas, 1914, 875,493; 1915, 3,638,526; 1916, 5,914,198. Potatoes, 1914, 1,463,514; 1915, 2,345,731; 1916, 3,485,740. Condensed vegetables, 1914, 1,520,879; 1915, 1,898,840; 1916, 2,529,694.

Note especially condensed milk, sugar and canned meat. Add to this export condition some short crops and considerable inadequate transportation facilities and you have the story for the present, and at least a short way into the future.

(Compiled by R. A. Bartley)

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CORPORAL BATCHELOR WRITES HOME

Corporal Wayne Batchelor has written home telling of his promotion. He has been assigned to the headquarters detachment at the new camp and is now drawing a sergeant's salary. Wayne is pleased with his progress and says that they have a fine camp site overlooking the river in the northern part of the state where his company is guarding tunnels and bridges.

Paul Thomson who left the Presidio at the same time is with him and they are well and send their regards to their many Sonoma friends.

DO NOT MISS CARMEN

Geraldine Farrar, the star who is to appear here as Carmen is now showing at the Cort in San Francisco as "Joan the Woman." Carmen here on Wednesday and Thursday the 25th and 26th at the Don Theatre will create a furor. The operatic music will be by Mrs. Perkins of Agua Caliente which will add much to the film production.

The cast for Carmen is as follows:

Carmen (the gypsy) Geraldine Farrar; Don Jose (young officer) Wallace Reid; Escamillo (a torero) Pedro De Cordoba; Morales (an officer) William Elmer; Pastia (tavern keeper and smuggler) Horace Carpenter; Frasquita (cigarette girl) Jeanie MacPherson; Mercedes, (a gypsy) Anita King; Garcia, Milton Brown.

BOYES SPRINGS IMPROVEMENT CLUB DANCE

A pleasant time was enjoyed last Saturday night at Agua Caliente Springs hotel by the Boyes Springs Improvement Club and their friends. Mr. and Mrs. Koenig of Boyes were among those who welcomed the guests and were ably assisted by Mrs. Theo. Richards.

The White Shell Club meets at Mrs. Burmeister's next Friday.

Mrs. Fred Price returned home from a pleasant visit to the Bay City Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wagner spent Wednesday in San Francisco.

Miss Henrietta Weber accompanied her father home Wednesday from San Francisco where he had been consulting an oculist. Miss Weber may decide to remain home.

Mrs. Frank McGill has been constantly at the bedside of her father, Mr. Munroe, who has been critically ill.

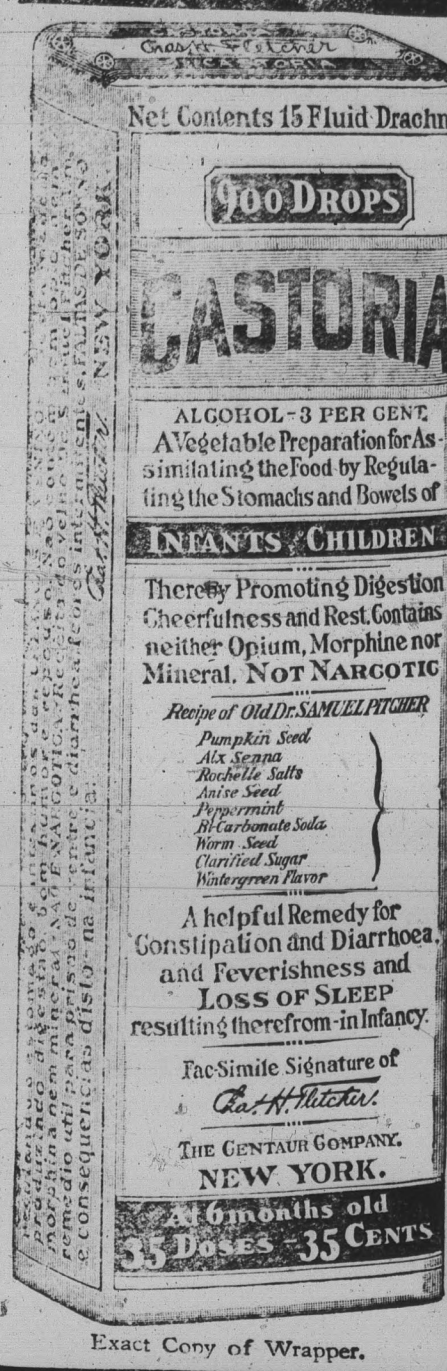
Otto Geriecke now a resident of the Sebastopol section was in town the first of the week on business. Mr. Geriecke is always a welcome visitor.

Mrs. Emma Fetters of Fetters Springs, has been quite sick with pneumonia. Dr. Gobar her attending physician reports her condition improved which will be good news to the host of friends of Sonoma Valley's enterprising resort proprietor.

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VINEBURG

Messrs. Collins & Mohr still continue to furnish this part of the Valley with excellent moving pictures and their efforts are fully appreciated. Tuesday April 24th, they will present Geraldine Farrar in "Carmen" with special music.

Fred Batto accompanied by Misses Mary Louise and Emily Batto and Miss Rosalie Figue of San Francisco, motored to Petaluma Wednesday.

Ellis Vernon and Emile Batto were in Vallejo Sunday but they did not enlist for there is no place like home sweet home.

The Gundlach-Bundschu Wine Co. shipped three carloads of wine to Eastern points this week.

Louis Martin of Vineburg Inn was in the metropolis Wednesday.

Vineburg can now boast of another native son. The stork hovered over the home of Mr. and Mrs. Celestine Andrieux Tuesday. No, he is not quite old enough to enlist yet.

Miss Rose Basaglia who for the past five years has been saleslady and assistant bookkeeper for the firm of John Batto & Sons, has resigned her position. The young lady had the confidence of her employers and the respect and admiration of the host of patrons at Batto's Spur.

There has been a scarcity in the grain and feed market for some time past, owing to unsettled conditions. This past week however, six carloads of feed have arrived at Batto's Spur amounting to over 150 tons, which will greatly relieve the congestion for the present.

Ralph Hotz, one of Sonoma's popular business men, and a duced clever minstrel interloper, "Don't Yer Know" was a visitor in this vicinity Thursday.

We understand that Bill Helberg Jr. of Schellville, happy Meryl Bish of Madrone, genial Fred Hansen of Sonoma and Easy Jim Small of Vineburg have formed a company that will be called "The Seldom Fed Brigade" and they will go to the war after it is over.

FROST INJURES VINEYARDS

The frost of the past week culminating in a bitter morning Wednesday did serious damage to the vineyards. The big acreage at Madrone which escaped last season, was badly nipped this time, about half the vines being frosted. Other vineyards also report the tender shoots effected and it is feared there will again be a shortage in the grape crop which last season was about a third normal.

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PICNIC AT DAVIS

The principal speaker for Picnic Day, April 28, at the University Farm Davis, will be Mr. B. V. Meek, who is a member of the State Board on Food Resources for the Council of Defense. Mr. Meek will speak on "The Food Supply of California."

Due to the turn in national affairs which has involved particularly the farmers of this county, and to Mr. Meek's familiarity with agricultural conditions in California, it is expected that much interest will be taken in what he has to say. Picnic Day is a splendid opportunity for the farmers of this State to get together and discuss their part in this war and discover how they can be of greatest service.

Especially emphasis will be laid on the demonstrations and exhibits which will show how to conserve food resources and increase production. The small garden which should be part of every home, will be explained in detail, using the experimental garden of the Oloroculture Division as an example. The keeping of a few hens will be made very simple with the advice of the Poultry Division.

The other demonstrations will be equally as valuable, and every farmer should take advantage of the fare and a third rate which has been secured on all railroads, to make a visit to the Farm.

Miss Virginia Pomeroy has been chosen as an attendant to Queen Irene for the Rose Carnival at Santa Rosa next month.

TONG WAR IS NEAR END

The Chinese tong war which has been in progress for several months past, is near an end as the rival tongs have killed nearly 50 men each. The Bing Kong Tong, of which Joe Locke, local merchant, is a member, is willing to sign a peace pact with the Su Sings and Hop Sings provided the Chinese Consul at San Francisco will be responsible for the good behavior of the rival tongs. This is one of the most wide-spread tong wars in recent years.

No. 5675—Dept. Two
Order to Show Cause why application for leave to sell certain property of said ward should not be granted.

In the Superior Court of the County of Sonoma, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate and Guardianship of Milton Albert Peterson, a minor.

Thomas H. Baines, the guardian of the person and estate of Milton Albert Peterson, a minor, having this day presented to this court, and filed herein, his petition, duly verified, praying for an order of sale of certain property belonging to the said minor, for the causes and reasons therein set forth; and it appearing to this court from the said petition that it is expedient, and would be beneficial to the said minor, that the said property described in said petition shall be sold.

It is hereby ordered, that the next of kin of said minor, and all persons interested in his said estate, appear before this court, in the courtroom of Department Two thereof, in the Court House, in the City of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California on Monday, the 30th day of April, 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, to show cause why an order should not be granted for the sale of such portion of said estate, as prayed for in said petition reference to which is hereby made for further particulars.

And it is hereby further ordered, that a copy of this order be published at least once a week for three successive weeks in a newspaper printed and published in said County of Sonoma, State of California. Dated March 28th, 1917.

THOS. C. DENNY.

Judge of the Superior Court.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—Estate of Matthias Engler, also known as Mathias Engler, also known as M. Engler, deceased, also known as D. M. Engler, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, George Engler, administrator of the estate of Matthias Engler, also known as Mathias Engler, also known as M. Engler, also known as D. M. Engler, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at his residence on Napa street, near 4th Street West, in the City of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

GEORGE ENGLER
Administrator of the estate of Matthias Engler, also known as Mathias Engler, also known as M. Engler, also known as D. M. Engler, deceased.

Dated at Sonoma, Cal., March 24th, 1917.
Robert A. Poppe, attorney for estate.

First Publication March 24th, 1917.

Chas. G. Tribuno, a wine buyer of San Francisco and connected with the firm of Tribuno & Garrish of New York, has been in the valley for several months. He has purchased a large quantity of wine from some of our prominent independent wine-makers, which he has shipped to New York. Last Wednesday three carloads were shipped from the cellars of F. Pagani & Son at Glen Ellen. Mr. Tribuno is also an importer of olive oil and states that he recently bought a carload of Italian oil and sold it at a good profit before it reached San Francisco. This will probably be the last shipment of olive oil into this country, until after the war.

The following telegram was received yesterday by this office:

Sacramento, Apr. 19, 1917.

Sonoma Index Tribune.

Morris Sunday closing defeated on reconsideration. No liquor regulation at this session.

ROBT. MADISON

Mrs. K. Murray of El Verano has been enjoying a visit from Mrs. McFarlane and son, relatives, from the suburbs of Santa Rosa.

CLASSIFIED ADS

For Sale—Gravel wagon complete & in excellent condition. Price \$25. Apply at this office.

For Sale—Yearling Durham & Jersey heifer calf. Price \$35. Mrs. W. D. Foley Napa st. west.

\$10 to \$20—For old horses and cows to be for chicken feed. Ray E. Button at the Bigelow Ranch. Phone 7421.

For Sale—A fine young fresh Jersey cow. Apply to Joseph Revie.

For Sale—Fresh milk cows, P. A. Norrhom, Sonoma Calif.

For Sale—Ice chest reasonable. Apply B. Mori, Mission Fruit Store.

Wanted—Gentle horse for his keep or may buy. Apply Box 255.

To Let—Furnished 3 room apartment in Sonoma. Inquire at J. B. Small's residence, Napa st.

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1 1915—16—6 cylinder, 7 passenger Overland. Very little used and just like new. Large tires; Beautiful Car; Best offer takes it. Address: California Telephone and Light Company, Santa Rosa, Cal.

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TO LET—Store on West side of Plaza, reasonable. Apply N. J. Heggie, First National Bank.

WANTED—Ranch Property for sale or lease, large or small, near Sonoma, R. C. Waller, Schellville, or Richard Walter Co., 316 Bush Street, San Francisco.

DRESSMAKING—Mrs. Frudgen announces that she will again resume dressmaking at home or will accept engagements by the day. Phone 1343.

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Northwestern Pacific Railroad Company

Official Time Schedule.

| Leave Sonoma | Effective Dec. 20th 1916 | Arrive Sonoma |
|--------------|---------------------------------|---------------|
| DAILY | TO AND FROM | DAILY |
| 7:25 A M | San Francisco and Intermediates | 9:23 A M |
| 4:20 P M | Glen Ellen and Intermediates | 7:00 P M |
| 9:25 A M | Healdsburg and Intermediates | 7:25 A M |
| 7:00 P M | Eureka and Intermediates | 4:20 P M |
| 7:25 A M | Sebastopol and Intermediates | 7:00 P M |
| 7:25 A M | Guerneville and Intermediates | 7:00 P M |
| 7:25 A M | Healdsburg and Intermediates | 7:25 A M |
| 4:20 P M | Intermediates | 7:00 P M |

GLEN ELLEN

Miss Babe Coswell, who recently underwent a very serious operation in San Francisco, is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. C. C. Weise.

The Glen Ellen base ball team played the Grays from San Francisco Sunday and were defeated, the score being 7-3. Tomorrow they cross bats with Sonoma and count on being the winners.

Wesley Brand, who is working in San Francisco, spent the week end with his folks.

Miss Pearl Coutts of Lakeville visited friends in Glen Ellen over Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. James Hailey of San Rafael is spending a few days with Mrs. P. Monahan.

Emery Ranker is home on a short vacation.

Norman Cowan, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cowan has enlisted in the U. S. Cavalry and has gone to Angel Island.

PROGRESS ON BLACK POINT CUT-OFF ROUTE

Sonoma Valley and all sections to be connected up by the Sonoma Cut-off via the Black Point bridge are interested in the progress being made on the new road. The Highway Engineers office, in the Riata building gave out the statement Wednesday that the work was progressing very well and the resident engineer, Derwick at Black Point gave positive assurance to the Index Tribune yesterday that the bridge would be completed in ample time for the big celebration. Mr. Derwick states that the work on the bridge is proceeding very satisfactorily and will be completed just as soon as possible.

While the marshy piece of road from Ignacio to Black Point will necessitate a detour via Novato this will in no wise interfere with the travel over the bridge as it is only about a quarter of a mile further than the direct route will be.

SHELLVILLE

Schellville proudly proclaims its true America spirit from the time you first get a glimpse of it from the Northwest Pacific for from the flag pole in front of Fred Schell's fine place old glory waves in the breeze. Mr. Schell recently lost a cousin, Lieutenant Butters in the war. He was at the front with the Allies and received the highest praise for his services.

C. Rush of Vallejo was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. Jessen last Sunday.

Miss Rita Helberg spent Easter week with her aunt, Mrs. Arbogast in Sonoma.

Mrs. Frank M. McGill spent last Friday in Santa Rosa.

Mrs. Genevieve Church, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Church, who suffered a slight injury to her head is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Neuman spent last Sunday in Bennett Bailey.

Mrs. A. Landsborough was greeting friends here Tuesday.

Mrs. R. Anderson of Sacramento has been visiting her daughter, Miss Mamie Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stonier were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Z. Lane last Sunday.

Mrs. Grover Rubke entertained the Jolly Twelve on Wednesday.

Mr. Windrow of San Francisco visited at the Kiser tract last Sunday.

The Schumachers and Fred Schells enjoyed a dance at the Fly district clubhouse last week near Napa.

Miss Elenor Nonella has returned from the city.

Louie Gianni, who was employed in the Sonoma Valley Bakery last summer, died in San Francisco Wednesday. The funeral which was largely attended, took place here yesterday from St. Francis Church. The deceased was unmarried and leaves a brother, S. Gianni who is employed on the local section crew.

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SHERIFF'S SALE Under Execution

THOS. KELLS, Plaintiff VS. SONOMA VALLEY WATER LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY. Defendant.

By Virtue of an Execution, issued out of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, on the 26th day of March A. D. 1917, and to me directed and delivered, for a judgment rendered and entered in said Superior Court, of the county of San Francisco, State of California, on the 20th day of March A. D. 1917, in favor of Thos. Kells plaintiff and against Sonoma Valley Water Light and Power Company defendant, for the sum of ONE THOUSAND, FIFTY EIGHT & 81-100 (\$1058.81) Dollars, lawful money of the United States, damages, with interest thereon, from the date thereof at the rate of seven per cent. per annum till paid, together with costs and disbursements at the date of said judgment, in the sum of \$15.40 and \$200.00 counsel fees and accruing costs in the sum of \$—

The whole amount aggregating \$1274.21 lawful money of the United States, and the same to be at interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum till paid.

Now Therefore, in pursuance of said judgment, and execution issued and to me directed, I have levied upon the following described real property situate, lying and being in the County of Sonoma, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

COMMENCING at the westerly intersection of Lots 49 and 72 of Sub-division of the Lewis Ranch" as the same is laid down and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Subdivision of the Lewis Ranch" recorded March 8, 1912 in the office of the Recorder of the County of Sonoma, State of California, and filed in Book 27 of Maps, at page 21, running thence due west 1042.8 feet to a stake driven at the intersection of said line with the westerly line of the original 640 acre tract deeded by M. G. Vallejo and wife, to Nicholas Carriger; thence North 45 degrees West 3000 feet to a stake; thence northerly to a stake driven at the bend in the northerly line of the original 235 acre tract deeded by M. G. Vallejo and wife to Nicholas Carriger, said stake being 2313.7 feet westerly from the northwest corner of the original 640 acre tract above referred to; thence South 84 degrees 15' West 1008.5 feet; thence South 17 degrees 15' West 50 feet; thence South 54 degrees 30' East 188.8 feet; thence due South 130.7 feet; thence South 5 degrees East 120.8 feet; thence South 42 degrees 45' East 100 feet; thence South 26 degrees 15' East 142 feet; thence South 7 degrees West 118.8 feet; thence South 39 degrees 45' East 108.2 feet; thence South 17 degrees 30' West 175 feet; thence South 22 degrees East 240.2 feet; thence South 42 degrees 15' East, 161.7 feet; thence South 3 degrees 30' West, 180.8 feet; thence South 12 degrees East, 184.8 feet; thence South 20 degrees East 169 feet; thence South 39 degrees 30' West, 257.4 feet; thence South 30 degrees East, 154.4 feet; thence South 4 degrees East 295 feet; thence South 45 degrees 15' East, 184.8 feet; thence South 60 degrees 15' East, 277.9 feet; thence South 41 degrees 45' East 140.6 feet; thence South 46 degrees 45' East 130 feet; thence South 18 degrees 15' East 171 feet; thence South 75 degrees 15' East 179.5 feet; thence South 54 degrees 45' East 160.5 feet; thence South 46 degrees 15' East 266.6 feet; thence North 74 degrees 15' East 185.5 feet; thence South 24 degrees 15' East 238.3 feet; thence South 44 degrees 15' East 175.6 feet; thence South 60 degrees 45' East 292.4 feet; thence South 70 degrees 15' East 145.2 feet; thence South 34 degrees 45' East 971.5 feet to the southwest corner of the original 640 acre tract above referred to; thence easterly along the southern boundary of the said 640 acre tract to the southwest corner of lot 48 of the aforesaid "Subdivision of the Lewis Ranch"; thence northerly along the westerly line of Lot 48 to the northwest corner of said Lot 48; thence in an easterly direction along the northern boundaries of Lots 48, 47 and 46 of said "Subdivision of the Lewis Ranch"; to the Northeast corner of Lot 46 of said subdivision; thence Northerly in a direct line to the Southwest corner of Lot 49 of said subdivision; thence northerly along the Westerly line of said Lot 49 to the point of beginning.

ALSO Lots 49 to 55 inclusive, of said "Subdivision of said Lewis Ranch";

ALSO Lot 17, containing 8.70 acres Lot 19, containing 5.43 acres, and Lot 20, containing 3.88 acres, of the Lewis Tract, Subdivision A, as the same is laid down and delineated upon that certain map of the Lewis Tract as recorded in the office of the Recorder of the County of Sonoma, State of California, on December 21, 1910, in Liber 21 of Maps at page 19.

In accordance with said order and command, notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, April 24th, 1917 at Eleven o'clock A. M. of that day in the city of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, in front of the Court House, (at the Fourth Street entrance) I will offer for sale at public auction and sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, lawful

money of the United States the above described property, or so much thereof, as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs.

J. K. SMITH Sheriff.
By W. A. Turner, Under-Sheriff.
Dated this 30th day of March 1917.

Theodore L. Breslauer, Humboldt Bank Building San Francisco, Cal., Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Florence S. Boynton (formerly Florence S. Shirley) deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Executor of the last will and testament of Florence S. Boynton deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said Executor at this office of the District Attorney, in the court house at Santa Rosa, Sonoma County, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

FRED WHITING BOYNTON,
Executor of the last will and testament of Florence S. Boynton (formerly Florence S. Shirley), deceased.
Dated at Santa Rosa, April 9th, 1917.

J.W. Ford, Attorney for Executor.
First Publication, April 14, 1917.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate

In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sonoma.

William Busse, Plaintiff, vs. John Lounibos and Anna Acquistapace, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and a decree of foreclosure issued out of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sonoma, on the 9th day of April, 1917, in the above entitled action, wherein William Busse, plaintiff therein, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure against John Lounibos and Anna Acquistapace, defendants therein, on said 9th day of April, 1917, for the sum of \$2603.20 together with \$130.00 attorney's fees and \$14.00 costs of suit, making in all the sum of \$2812.20 and accruing costs, which said judgment and decree was on April 11, 1917, duly recorded and entered in the records of said court, I, the undersigned Commissioner, am commanded to sell at public auction in the manner prescribed by law, all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the Town of El Verano, County of Sonoma, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit: All of that real property situated in the Town of El Verano, County of Sonoma, State of California, known and described as Lots number one (1), and two (2), Block number sixty one (61), on a certain map entitled: "Map of Subdivision No. 3 of the Town of El Verano, Sonoma County, California," filed in the office of the County Recorder of Sonoma County, on November 9th, 1890; together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining:

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 7th day of May 1917, at 11.45 o'clock, a. m., on the front or Fourth Street steps of the County Court House, in the City of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California, I, the undersigned Commissioner as aforesaid, will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure, sell at public auction, the above described real property, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to satisfy said judgment, with interest thereon, and costs and expenses of sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash.
Dated April 13, 1917.

A. M. Johnson, Commissioner.

Joe Lock, local Chinese merchant, will leave today for San Bernardino on a business trip. He will be gone a month and upon his return contemplates buying up large quantities of fruit. Mr. Lock did over \$10,000 worth of business last season in green and dried fruits.

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